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FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY LONDON IMMEDIATE
INFO AMEMBASSY KUWAIT
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AMEMBASSY BEIRUT
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E.O. 11652 XGDS-1
TAGS: ENRL
SUBJECT: KUWAIT BUYBACK NEGOTIATION
REF; LONDON'S 8883

1. INFORM HMG THAT IN RESPONSE INFORMATION REFTEL WE ARE SEEKING PERSUADE GULF TO RESIST SETTLEMENT AT 95 PERCENT FIGURE. ENERGY ADMINISTRATOR SAWHILL HAS SPOKEN TO GULF CHAIRMAN DORSEY, AND PRESIDENTIAL COUNSELLOR RUSH HAS ASKED DORSEY MEET WITH HIM AT SAN CLEMENTE SATURDAY MORNING. WHILE WE CANNOT PREDICT OUTCOME, WE HOPE UK WILL CONTINUE MAINTAIN PRESSURE ON BP.

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2. SINCE SHELL HAS BEEN MAJOR PURCHASER OF KUWAITI CRUDE

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FROM GULF YOU MIGHT INQUIRE OF HMG WHETHER DISCUSSION
WITH SHELL OF PURCHASE PRICE MIGHT PROVIDE SOME ADDITIONAL
PRESSURE ON GULF. KISSINGER

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